

July 29, 2020

National Benefits Center (NBC) WARN NOTIFICATION UPDATE

VIA Electronic Mail

WARN Coordinator

Missouri Department of Higher Education & Workforce Development Office of Workforce Development PO Box 1087 Jefferson City, MO 65102

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Dear WARN Coordinator.

You were first previously provided notice on or about May 22, 2020 pursuant to the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (WARN) of a planned separation of employment due to the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services' (USCIS) sudden and unforeseen decision to descope its contract with PAE at the site located at 7600 West 119th Street, Overland Park, KS 66213. This is to provide you with an update regarding that earlier WARN notice.

USCIS has granted a 30-day extension of the current contract but has indicated that it will have the option of non-renewal on a monthly basis until November 29, 2020. Therefore, the earliest possible date of separation has been extended until August 29, 2020. This notice is given conditional upon the non-renewal of PAE's contract with USCIS beyond August 29, 2020. If USCIS again exercises its option to renew for another 30 days, the separation date will be extended until September 29, 2020. If USCIS again exercises its option to renew the contract for an additional 30 days, your separation date will likewise be extended until October 29, 2020. Finally, if USCIS again exercises its option to renew the contract for an additional 30 days, your separation date will likewise be extended until November 29, 2020. The impacted employees are not represented by a union.

Due to the uncertain revenue stream of USCIS, this notice is being provided at the earliest possible time conditioned on the possibility of a mass layoff less than 60 days after notice of non-renewal by USCIS.

The number of PAE impacted employees is 27. A list of the positions is below:

Position Titles	Number of incumbents
Administrative Services Supervisor	2
Quality Review Specialist II	8
Quality Review Specialist III	7



Shipper/Packer	10
Total	27

In the event services are needed at the end of the current or future extensions, notifications have been sent to the following.

Johnson County

Chairman Ed Eilert Johnson County Board of Commissioners 111 S Cherry Street Olathe, KS 66061

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May 22, 2020

RE: EMPLOYER WARN NOTICE

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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Dear WARN Coordinator,

This notice is being provided pursuant to the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (WARN) which requires employers to provide notice of a pending mass layoff.

As a result of unforeseen business circumstances, PAE is required to immediately conduct layoffs at its site located at 850 NW Chipman Road, Suite 5000, Lee's Summit, MO 64063 and 2640 McBaine Drive, Lee's Summit, MO. 64064. The layoffs are anticipated to be permanent. There are no bumping rights. The impacted employees are not represented by a union. At this time and based on the information currently available, we anticipate that layoffs will begin May 29, 2020.

We are providing this information as soon as reasonably practicable. We apologize that we were not able to provide more advance notice. The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (UCIS) recently notified PAE's National Business Center of its intent to significantly reduce the scope of the contracted services at this location due to budgetary constraints and without providing 60 days' notice. The contract change in scope is effective May 30, 2020.

As you may be aware from recent media reports, the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic has had a significant impact on UCIS's financial outlook. Since the declaration of the national emergency, USCIS has reported that its application and petition receipts dropped to half their previous levels and with them, agency revenue significantly declined. USCIS has requested \$1.2 billion in emergency funding from Congress due to the forecast that the agency will run out of money this summer. PAE has been advised that this agency budget shortfall necessitated this sudden and unexpected contract change.



The number of employees affected <u>697</u>. A list of the affected positions is below.

Service Contract Act (SCA) Positions		
General Clerk Level I	313	
General Clerk Level II	262	
General Clerk Level III	40	
Shipper/Packer	4	
Truck Drivers	2	
Data Entry Clerk Level II	11	
Computer Operators	4	
Non-SCA		
Human Resources Generalist	1	
Operations Manager	1	
Supervisor	17	
Recruiter	6	
Quality Auditor	21	
Quality Analyst	2	
Quality Review Specialist III	11	
Quality Supervisor	1	
Product Manager	1	

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